

MEDIATORS TRY TO AVERT STRIKE

HOLD CONFERENCE WITH CHIEFS AND MANAGERS

PRINCIPALS BELIEVE MEETING MAY LAST ALL NIGHT

Lane, Wilson and Willard Purpose to Carry Discussion as Far as Possible With the Men and Then Call in Railway Committee—Gompers, the Fourth Mediator Had Not Arrived at a Late Hour

BULLETIN.

NEW YORK, March 17.—Secretary Lane sent word from the conference room at 2:20 o'clock that the brotherhood men had left but that the mediators were still in conference with the managers. He said no further statement would be made tonight.

The brotherhood chiefs left the hotel at which the conference was held, thru a rear exit a half hour before Mr. Lane made his announcement. It was said however, at the hotel which they have made their headquarters that they had not arrived there at 2:30 o'clock.

NEW YORK, March 17.—Three of the mediators appointed by the National Council of Defense in an attempt to avert a general railroad strike were still in conference with the chiefs of four railroad brotherhoods at 12:45 o'clock this morning (Saturday). At that time more than two hours after the meeting began, no word had come from the room where the session was being held.

Meanwhile, the members of the national conference committee of railroad managers were awaiting, at the Grand Central Terminal, a summons to join the conference.

The committee of managers, headed by Elisha Lee, its chairman, was called into the conference room at 1:15 o'clock. Secretaries Lane and Wilson and Daniel Willard, the mediators, were still in conference with the brotherhood chiefs and the railroad managers at 2:15 o'clock.

Samuel Gompers, the fourth member of the council of national defense, named as a mediator, had not arrived and no word had been received from him, so far as could be learned.

No intimation had come from the conference room as to the progress of the deliberations and there was no indication that the meeting was nearing an end.

Go Into Conference With Chiefs.

New York, March 16.—Three of the four members of the national council of defense appointed with the sanction of President Wilson to act as mediators in the hope of averting the nation-wide "progressive" railroad strike called to begin at 6 o'clock tomorrow night, went into conference at 10:30 o'clock tonight with the chiefs of the four railroad brotherhoods.

Secretary of the Interior Franklin K. Lane arrived in the city at 9:30 o'clock and Secretary of Labor Wilson nearly an hour later. Daniel Willard, president of the Baltimore & Ohio railroad had preceded them from Washington. No one knew at what hour Samuel Gompers, president of the American Federation of Labor, the fourth mediator, would arrive.

It was the purpose of the defense council's committee to carry their discussion with the representatives of the men as far as possible and then call in the members of the national conference committee of railroad managers. All the persons concerned in the conference believed it might last all night.

When Mr. Wilson arrived at the hotel where the meeting is being held he declared he brought no mandate from Washington.

Had No "Cut and Dried" Plan. The mediators had no "cut and dried" plan he said, but it was their purpose to bring about a compromise altho they had no idea along what any emergency.

Neither Would Make Overtures. Both sides expressed a willingness to renew their joint conferences, but neither would make overtures to that end. It was conceded that the strike would begin on the eastern lines at six o'clock (Central Time) tomorrow night, unless the council of defense mediators could bring to bear sufficient pressure to cause delay or mutual concessions.

The chief preparedness measure taken by the railroads during the day was the declaration of freight embargoes designed to clear their lines in preparation for emergencies.

One of the most drastic embargoes was announced by the New York, New Haven & Hartford, whose lines are not included among those on which freight employees, yardmen and hostlers will be called out tomorrow and Sunday. Not only was an embargo placed in effect on all freight, but it was announced that beginning tomorrow night sleeping and dining car service would be abandoned and all passenger traffic carried in day coaches.

Refuse to Discuss Attitude.

The brotherhood chief refused to discuss for publication their probable attitude. They admitted however, that they had sent no message to President Wilson in response to his plea that they strive to bring their controversy with the railroads to "immediate accommodation" for patriotic reasons.

The managers' committee made public, however, a telegram sent the president in which they assured him they would co-operate in an earnest effort to avert the national calamity which would result from an interruption of railroad service. Both sides to the conflict continued the policy of reticence they had maintained all day. The managers were making plans to combat the strike if it is not to be averted thru the ef-

PRESIDENT APPEALS FOR STRIKE SETTLEMENT

Seeks to Arouse Patriotism of Men involved

Executive Official There Will be no Strike, But is Considering What May be Done if His Appeal is Futile.

Washington, March 16.—President Wilson today called upon the railroad managers and chiefs of the employees' brotherhoods as patriotic men to re-open the questions at issue between them and prevent a general interruption of railway traffic "in this time of national peril."

Approve Mediation Proposal

The president's message, an appeal for adjustment of differences and a solemn protest against the strike, was sent after he and the cabinet had approved a proposal of the council of national defense that it send a committee to New York to undertake mediation between the railroads and their employees. At the same time the committee, Secretaries Lane and Wilson, Daniel Willard, president of the Baltimore & Ohio railroad,

Samuel Gompers, president of the American Federation of Labor, the fourth member. Until tonight it was understood at the white house that he had gone to New York with the committee but it developed that he had been out of the city for two days and that Secretary Lane entrusted with arrangements for the committee probably had not been able to reach him. Officials of the federation's headquarters would not say where Mr. Gompers was, but explained that he had been keeping in touch with the brotherhood leaders from a point near New York. It was thought he would be in New York tomorrow if he did not get there tonight.

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A boys' band is to be organized in Jacksonville, according to an announcement made Friday by Fred W. Goodrick. The first rehearsal for this organization will be held April 2 at 7 o'clock. All boys interested in the project are urged to call at Mr. Goodrick's office above Gilbert's Pharmacy on any afternoon between the hours of 1 and 5. It is the expectation that there will be two rehearsals each week in order that the organization may be ready for work in the early summer.

The proposed band will be a benefit to Jacksonville as well as to the boys who become members, and the indications are that the effort will meet with the special favor of parents of boys who give evidence of having musical talent.

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Monday—The master production "Vanity Fair," in 7 parts, featuring Misses Fiske. Mr. Johnson has secured this picture and will be assisted by the Illinois College Girls.

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COMING

The Jacksonville Resekah Lodge No. 13 will have charge of the funeral services of Katie Decker at Aransasville, Sunday afternoon at 1 o'clock. Members are requested to attend.

Lydia Ricks, Noble Grand, Edna Colby, Secretary.

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MAY AVERT RAILROAD STRIKE

With the railway presidents and the railway brotherhoods standing firm the prospect of fulfillment of the strike order yesterday loomed on the horizon as a strong possibility. In this crisis the efforts of the mediators appointed by the federal council of defense were redoubled in the hope of securing some agreement whereby a strike can be averted. President Wilson left his sick room to voice an appeal to both railroads and trainmen to get together on some plan which will avoid such a national catastrophe. With these influences at work in an effort to secure some compromise in circulation that in the central west and west particularly members of the brotherhoods are not thoroly in sympathy with the strike order, many citizens took the optimistic view that there will be no tie-up.

To such citizens it does not seem possible that either trainmen or railroad officials can be so lacking in patriotism as to insist on any line of action which will certainly seriously embarrass the nation in one of the most critical periods of its history. Without going into the merits of the controversy or referring to the previous demands and the action of congress in yielding to the brotherhoods and passing the Adamson law, an opinion on which is now pending before the supreme court, it seems incomprehensible that the government can permit a strike to eventuate at such a time. There probably is no law which gives the authority to the president to compel either the officials or the brotherhoods to settle their differences. But most citizens of the country have an indefinable confidence in the government's belief that it can do anything if the need arises. The need is here in this instance and so they may expect the government to find a way and, if necessary, to brush aside law and precedent and with a strong hand make impossible this national calamity.

This is not a controversy simply between the railroad officials and the brotherhoods but is one in which the interests of the public are the most concerned. It is the business of the government first of all to protect the people and they are expecting that protection now. If the U. S. were to seize the railroad and place them permanently under governmental control, that would be victory for the trainmen—probably just what they are hoping to accomplish. But certainly some plan less radical and just as effective can be devised by President Wilson and his cabinet. The time for the strike order to take effect is still a few hours in the distance and "while there is time there is hope."

THE RIGHT MAN IN THE RIGHT JOB.

In the April American Magazine is an article entitled "Are You a Square Peg in a Round Hole?" by Herman Schneider, Dean of the School of Engineering of the University of Cincinnati. Dean Schneider has devoted his life to making successes out of failures and to finding the right job for the right man. He believes that failure is seldom more than an indication of the right path to success. Among other things he says:

"Every individual has certain general traits, every kind of work has certain general characteristics. The problem is to interpret the traits of the individual, classify the characteristics of the job, and then guide the individual into the job for which he is supremely fitted. This is one real employment problem."

"There are very many human characteristics, but there are a few broad and general ones which frequently make for success or failure."

"There is a type of a man who wants to get on the same car every morning, get off at the same corner, go to the same shop, ring up at the same clock, stow his lunch in the same locker, go to the same machine and do the same class of work day after day. Another type of man would go crazy under this routine; he wants to move about, meet new people, see and do things. The first is settled; the second is roving. The first might make a good man for a shop manufacturing a standard product; the second might make a good railroad man or a good outdoor carpenter."

MARKING THE LINCOLN
CIRCUIT ROADS

The Springfield News has the following interesting story of the efforts of Daughters of the American Revolution to mark the Lincoln circuit road. It has been found that Morgan was one of eighteen counties thru which the martyr president rode in his law practice. When the D. A. R. began this laudable effort it was thought that the trail extended only into four counties. However, a study of records revealed that eighteen counties can claim the distinction. Thus the task becomes greater and more costly but it is safe to predict that the women will not falter in their work and that they will find generous financial support. In addition to these trails at no distant day a great Lincoln paved highway should be built thru this state. No

memorial would be more fitting or more helpful to the state.

Paragraphs from the News follow: "Abraham Lincoln, while a practicing attorney in Springfield, rode horseback over eighteen central and eastern Illinois counties. Research into musty court records by the Lincoln Circuit Road committee of the Illinois Daughters of the American Revolution has established that fact. Mrs. Jessie Palmer Weber, librarian of the state historical library, said today. Hitherto it has been generally believed that the old Lincoln Circuit road extended eastward out of Springfield to Danville, touching only Sangamon, Macon, Piatt and Champaign counties.

"As a result of the committee's finding, a complete change in the plans for marking the road by the Illinois D. A. R. has been made.

"According to the records found by the women in charge of the research, the old Eighth judicial circuit included the counties of Sangamon, Christian, Morgan, Menard, Mason, Tazewell, McLean, Macon, Champaign, Vermilion, Coles, Douglas, Moultrie, Shelby, Woodford, Macoupin and Peoria.

"Therefore members of the committee say, Abraham Lincoln did about four times the work he was generally credited with doing. "Moreover, women who considered an appropriation of \$2,000 sufficient to mark the road, now believe that almost \$10,000 will be necessary. The additional work has caused a postponement of the final marking of the road until 1918—Centennial Year—when the D. A. R. women expected to have their project complete.

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CITY AND COUNTY

These G. Websters of Concord was a visitor in the city yesterday.

Alien Myers of Dur. made a business trip to the city yesterday.

G. W. Arundel of Bluffs was a visitor in the city yesterday.

Ernest Sanders of Concord called on his city friends yesterday.

Watch Sunday paper for Menu of Bismarck Cafe.

A. J. Nagle of Peoria made a business trip to the city yesterday.

Arthur Westwood of Hannibal was a traveler to the city yesterday.

Fred B. Weeks of Joliet made a business trip to the city yesterday.

Chet Blakeman helped represent Murrayville in the city yesterday.

W. A. Hoblit of Lincoln called on local merchants yesterday.

S. J. Haworth of Quincy called on friends in the city yesterday.

Miss Ethel Zenor of Chapin was a shopper in the city yesterday.

A. Petrie of Franklin was trading with local merchants yesterday.

Luther Crawford helped represent Pisgah in the city yesterday.

Mrs. Thomas Mandeville of the vicinity of Woodson was a caller on city friends yesterday.

Robert Cave of Epersburg was added to the list of city callers yesterday.

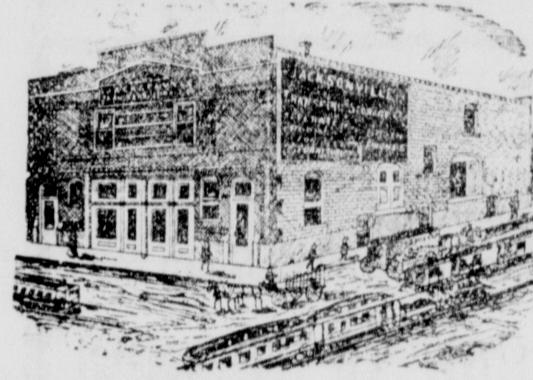
Lewis Rexroat of the vicinity of Concord was among the callers in the city yesterday.

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FUNERALS

Nergenah
Funeral services for Mrs. Louisa Nergenah were held at the Christian church at Chapin at 1:30, after a short service at the residence. The services were in charge of the pastor Rev. Lewis Hadaway.

Suitable music was given by Mrs. McKinney, Mrs. Monte Funk, Monte Funk, and Willam Williams. The flowers were cared for by Miss Johnson and Mrs. Alma Dickens.

The bearers were August Brockhouse, Henry Eckhoff, J. E. Alderson, S. M. Henderson, W. S. Brownlow, and Arthur Hamm. Burial was in Concord cemetery.

Those in attendance from a distance were Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Whorten of White Hall, and W. P. Whorten of Peoria.

Casteen

Funeral services for Josephine Casteen were held from the residence in Woodson Friday afternoon in charge of the Rev. Mr. Latham assisted by Dr. G. W. Miller. Music was furnished by Mrs. Gallagher, Mrs. John R. Henry and William Colton. The remains will be sent to Versailles this morning for burial.

Higbee

Funeral services for Charles M. Higbee were held from Gillham's undertaking parlors Friday morning at 10 o'clock in charge of the Rev. Myron L. Pontius pastor of Central Christian church. The flowers were cared for by Mrs. W. O. Swales and Miss Jones. Burial was in Diamond Grove cemetery the bearers being W. O. Swales, R. W. Watt, Ray Pearce, Walter Pierson, Harvey Lancaster, and George Pierson.

Watch Sunday paper for Menu of Bismarck Cafe.

ELKS JOLLIES PLEASE

LARGE AUDIENCE

The Elks Jollies of 1917 were repeated at the Grand Friday night. The players were greeted with another large audience and the applause was just as generous as that given on Thursday evening. One feature not down on the program was when William Benson dropped a cap pistol from his pocket in the Pullman car scene. The cap was discharged by the fall and Mr. Benson was startled greatly by the accident. After the performance the members of the cast were entertained at a dance by the Elks at the Peacock Inn.

Yes, we have more of those guaranteed socks, 6 pairs 75c, guaranteed 6 months at TOM LINSON'S.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS.

W. L. Laugher to Grover Laugher, pt. lot 1, block 15, Bethel, \$1.

Mrs. Rena F. Kessinger, et al, to Edward P. Brockhouse, pt. south east quarter southwest quarter 2-15-12, \$1. This deed was given to correct an error in deed made by the late Charles S. French.

Thomas W. Sinclair to Anna G. Shafer, north half northeast quarter, 16-15-9, \$2,000.

John T. Hickman to Anna G. Shafer, north half northeast quarter 16-15-9, quit claim deed, \$1.

A. M. Masters, et al, W. J. Wood, north half southwest quarter 19-13-10, \$9,600.

W. J. Wood to Mary M. Newcomb same tract, \$5,000.

J. C. Bunch to J. P. Coyne, southwest quarter southwest quarter 37-14-11, \$1.

Alex Van Praag of New Ulm, Minn., is in the city for a few days visiting friends.

H. A. Goodrick of Springfield was called to the city yesterday on business.

Mr. and Mrs. William Vooye of Virginia were attending to affairs in the city yesterday.

Thru the kindness of W. W. Holiday, manager of the Illinois Telephone company a telephone has been installed at the residence of Officer James H. Trahey of the Humane Society. This courtesy of Manager Holiday's to the society is very greatly appreciated by that organization. Anyone having cases to report may reach the proper authority by calling Illinois 50-885.

THE BIRTH RECORD

Born to Mr. and Mrs. James H. Hennessy, 519 Myrtle street a 1/2 and one half pound son, first child. The young man has been named Leonard Edward.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. John W. Magner, 873 North Prairie street, a son, nine pounds.

FRENCH CABINET WILL BE RE-CONSTRUCTED

PARIS, March 16.—The French cabinet will be reconstructed. Premier Briand, it is understood in addition to replacing General Lyautey, the former minister of war, will have the departments which have been combined with one minister, restored to their former status. It is expected the premier will be able to submit the names of the new ministers to President Poincare tomorrow.

GERMAN AIRSHIPS

ATTACK ENGLAND
LONDON, March 17.—An air raid on the southeastern counties of England took place last night and was still in progress early this morning, according to an official communication issued at 12:30 o'clock. Bombs were dropped in Kent.

Hostile airships attacked the southeastern counties last night (Friday). Bombs have been dropped in the county Kent. The raid is still in progress. A further communication will be issued during the morning.

KILLS WIFE AND SUICIDES, Laporte, Ind., March 16.—Amos Castle, aged 65, killed his wife, also 65, with a hammer today, set fire to the house and then committed suicide. He and Mrs. Castle had been separated for some time.

"FATHER AND SON" BANQUET BIG SUCCESS

Two Hundred and Twenty Five Men and Boys Assemble at Christian Church for Program and Social Evening.

An evening of universal good fellowship prevailed Friday evening when two hundred and twenty five men and boys assembled for a supper at Central Christian church and remained thereafter for a pleasant social evening. The supper was served at 6:45 o'clock by the Pastoral Helpers and was in quality all that could have been desired. So large was the assemblage that the double doors were thrown back and both the main dining hall and the west basement room were filled with tables. The invitations, sent out early in the week by the Rev. M. L. Pontius, pastor of the church, requested that each man take with him a boy, and the hearty response with which the suggestion was met could well be seen by a single glance.

The bearers were August Brockhouse, Henry Eckhoff, J. E. Alderson, S. M. Henderson, W. S. Brownlow, and Arthur Hamm. Burial was in Concord cemetery.

Those in attendance from a distance were Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Wakeford of Pearl were callers on Jacksonville friends yesterday.

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MORTUARY

Henry

Death came to Christopher Henry Friday morning at 5 o'clock after a week's illness of pneumonia and with him passed one of the well known residents of southern Morgan county. Mr. Henry was born Feb. 3, 1855, and had always made his home in the Nortonville community. He was a member of Youngblood Baptist church.

Mr. Henry was the son of William and Mary Henry. He was married to Miss Adeline Starner, who, with five children survive him. The sons and daughters are Mrs. Robert Henry, Mrs. Edwin Sooy, Mrs. Fletcher Seymour, Irvin Henry and Ernest Henry. He leaves two half brothers, Samuel and Edward, and a sister, Mrs. John Waters.

The funeral will be held Sunday afternoon at 10 o'clock at Youngblood Baptist church, in charge of the Rev. Roy March. Burial will be made in Youngblood cemetery.

Harklewood

Obert Deitrich Harklewood, adopted son of Mr. and Mrs. William Harklewood of Nortonville, died at his home Friday morning at 3 o'clock after a brief illness of pneumonia. The child was born Feb. 8, 1915. He is survived

HOLD CONFERENCE WITH CHIEFS AND MANAGERS

(Continued from Page 1.)

was in a position to state that the railroad men had resolved to strike for an 8-hour day and pro rata overtime pay and that no dissension existed among the members.

"I am thoroly in touch with the situation in the eastern states," he declared, "and I have not heard any expressions of discontent against us. If there were any I would have heard of them."

A. H. Smith, president of the New York Central Railroad, conferred with Governor Whitman for an hour here tonight. Immediately after he left, Adjutant General Stansbury of the National Guard had a long talk with Mr. Whitman. The governor refused to discuss the subjects he had discussed with his callers.

U. P. Head Issues Statement

Omaha, Neb., March 16.—President E. E. Galvin of the Union Pacific railroad today issued a statement that follows in part:

"In connection with the threat of a general railroad strike at this time the question arises is some power shrewd and more astute than the brotherhood leaders back of the plan to precipitate a transportation tieup at this time and establish in this country a condition, which to the minds of our enemies in Europe may seem like a revolt against our government. * * * *

"They have overlooked the fact that in many ways a railroad strike in this country would be worth more to our enemies than the winning of many battles, for the reason that it would paralyze and stagnate all our resources; and even if the strike be declared off should war be declared the strike tieup would have resulted in such a congestion of freight in the terminals and on the sidings that weeks and probably months would be required to get this congestion cleaned up before the railroads would be in normal running condition again. This would mean the movement of troops would be seriously interfered with and the movement of commissary supplies and munitions so seriously interrupted as to give our enemies a tremendous advantage."

"A day or two ago an officer of our navy said a tieup of the railroads for even two days would be a serious blow to the national welfare at this critical time. We must keep the fleet fully coated and equipped with other supplies."

"When we are on the verge of a decision respecting the legality of the Adamson law and when we stand face to face with the probability of a war which will tax all our energy it seems to me that in speaking of the plans of the brotherhood leaders to tie up the transportation industry of the country the people are justified in using a stronger term than ill-advised. * * * *

"It is impossible to believe that the brotherhood leaders who have heretofore shown real generalship will lead those who trust in them upon such a fool's errand."

Road Announces Embargo

Philadelphia, March 16.—An embargo effective at six p. m. today, against all freight except livestock, domestic shipments of foodstuffs for human and animal consumption, government freight and newsprint paper was announced tonight by the Pennsylvania, the Philadelphia, Baltimore, & Washington and the West Jersey & Seashore railroads. The announcement was made at the conclusion of an all-day meeting of the operating staff of the Pennsylvania railroad in the general offices here.

Will Utilize Rivers.

Charleston, W. Va., March 16.—In event that shipments to Charleston and other West Virginia cities are cut off by railroad strike the Kanawha and Ohio rivers will be utilized. Arrangements were made today to place a line of river steamers and packets in operation between this city and Cincinnati and Pittsburgh.

W.H. Face Coal Shortage.

Minneapolis, Minn., March 16.—Within forty-eight hours after a rail strike is called, Minneapolis will be facing a serious coal shortage, according to a survey taken by the civic and commerce association and announced at a hurriedly called conference of the association directors and coal dealers tonight.

ATTEMPTS TO KILL GIRL AND THEN SUICIDES.

St. Paul, Minn., March 16.—R. R. Albright, a railroad brakeman of Oelwein, Iowa, tonight shot and seriously wounded Rosetta Sherwood of Minneapolis, fired at a pedestrian who attempted to disarm him and shot and killed himself following a quarrel.

EXONERATE POLICEMAN.

Freeport, Ill., March 16.—A coroner's jury today exonerated Policeman Fred Clay, who yesterday shot and killed Fred Reed, a former fugitive who resisted the officer when he attempted to arrest him.

TWO KILLED IN BOMB EXPLOSION

Blast Damages Suffolk County, Massachusetts, Court House. One of Dead Believed to be Carrier of Bomb.

Boston, March 16.—A bomb exploded in the Suffolk county court house late today killing two men and injuring another. One of the dead was Louis A. Zelinger, a janitor in the building. The other, unidentified up to a late hour tonight, was believed by the police to have been the bearer of the explosive.

The object of the bomb carrier is uncertain, but the fact that Judge William A. Loring's session of the supreme judicial court was only 25 feet from the ante-room in which the explosion occurred indicated to the authorities that this may have been the objective.

It is thought the explosion was premature.

Except for the shattering of windows, no damage was done in Judge Loring's court which was in session. The ante-room where the explosion occurred was damaged materially. Girl stenographers fainted, a jury which was locked up for deliberation in a room overhead clattered for release and a court officer collapsed, but order was quickly restored and guards were placed both over the court house and the nearby state house. The unidentified dead man apparently was a foreigner, probably of Southern European origin, the clothing containing nothing which would assist in identifying him.

It was learned the explosive was nitroglycerine contained in an iron vessel and possibly loaded with shrapnel. The authorities are working on the theory that today's bomb carrier had a grievance against the courts.

Daniel H. Ryan, a court officer, who had just left the ante-room was knocked down and injured so seriously as to require hospital treatment.

WAR NEWS SUMMARIZED

Continuing their attack on the German lines in the center of the Somme region in France, British troops have gained further success. All of the St. Pierre Vaast wood, the scene of previous heavy battles between French and German forces has been occupied says the official statement from the British war office.

"The record clearly disclosed," the Lord report continues, "that the regulation of boxing is a difficult matter and that those charged with such a duty should be scrupulously careful to avoid any appearance of evil. Mr. Wenck's defense to the bribe soliciting charge which was dismissed, was that he was the victim of a "frame-up."

His accusers testified he asked for \$1,000 to sanction a bout in Madison Square Garden.

The chairman was appointed in October 1915, under a law reorganizing the commission. His term expired in January 16, when he was re-appointed for a full three-year term.

German trenches on a front of 3,000 yards north and south of the wood also were taken the communication adds. The St. Pierre Vaast wood lies about midway between Bapaume and Peronne and its occupation by the British would increase the menace to these strong points in the German defense. The wood dominates the outlying positions north of Peronne.

A German attack on a British trench on the Somme was repulsed according to London.

French troops continue to make progress on both sides of the Aire. In Champagne the French carried out a surprise attack east of the Butte Souane.

Renewed activity in Macedonia in the region of Monastir is reported by Berlin, which says the French attacked east of that town and were successful in entering German trenches, but at only one point, being beaten off at all others.

British forces have taken part of the town of Bakubah, thirty miles northeast of Bagdad and on the main road to Kermanshah. The Turkish forces continue their retreat up the right bank of the Tigris from Bagdad.

German airships have renewed their attacks on southeastern England. London announces and bombs have been dropped in the county of Kent. A German airplane previously dropped bombs at Westgate.

Another British torpedo boat destroyer has been sunk as a result of striking a mine in the English channel. It is believed 19 members of the crew were lost in the disaster.

VILLA HOLDS ALL OF SOUTHWESTERN CHIHUAHUA

Juarez, March 16.—Villa holds Parral, Jiminez and all of the country in Southwestern Chihuahua, while general Francisco Murguia, is making a desperate effort to reorganize his forces to repel the advance of the Villa forces on the state capital, passengers arriving on Chihuahua City over the Mexican Central Railroad tonight reported.

CUT OVER LANDS TO BE SETTLED

New Orleans, March 16.—Owners of cut-over pine lands on the coastal plain from Virginia to Texas, to the number of about 700, are to meet in this city Monday to discuss problems relative to use, sale and settlement of these lands, and questions of correlated commercial and industrial interest. The meeting will be held under the joint auspices of the Southern Settlement and Development Organization of Baltimore, the Southern Pine Association of Louisiana, and the New Orleans Association of Commerce. It is the plan of these organizations to bring colonists to these cut-over pine lands, which are among the most fertile areas of the Southern States, and to convert them into farms, by selling them at low prices, on long-time payments, and to provide machinery, horses, and even food supplies, to be sold to those immigrants at similar low figures and long credits.

FOOTBALL RULES MEETING

New York, March 16.—Members of the Intercollegiate football rule committee got together at the Hotel Astor this afternoon to consider proposed changes in the rules to govern the great college sport for the coming season. No changes of a basic nature are contemplated according to a statement given out by Chairman E. K. Hall, but a number of suggestions for minor changes will be made and some, no doubt, will be adopted.

BIDS FOR ROWING MEET.

New York, March 16.—The time and place for holding the 1917 championships of the National Association of Amateur Oarsmen, popularly known as "the American Henley," will be determined at a meeting of the executive board of the association to be held in this city tomorrow. In recent years the most of the regattas of the association have been held on the Schuylkill River course at Philadelphia, but this year the cities of Buffalo and Lynn, Mass., are to put in strong bids in opposition to the Quaker City.

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As Reported to the United States
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March 5, 1917

Loans and Discounts	\$1,403,214.50
Overdrafts	8,659.30
United States Bonds	200,000.00
Other Bonds and Securities	828,747.64
Furniture and Fixtures	11,807.48
Real Estate	2,281.13
Cash and Exchange	1,092,739.04
	\$3,547,449.09
Capital Stock	\$ 200,000.00
Undivided Profits	169,758.06
Circulating Notes	200,000.00
DEPOSITS	2,977,691.03
	\$3,547,449.09

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I hereby announce myself a candidate for road commissioner in Road District No. 8. Election April 3rd.

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Henry Ruble,

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MUCH STATE AID ROAD
WORK IN PROSPECTIndicated by Letter Issued by State
Highway Department—Proposals
to be Received March 28

That a large amount of state aid road work is contemplated for the coming season is indicated by a letter just issued by the state highway department. Proposals for a large amount of work will be received by the commission March 28. The plans are on file at the offices of the county clerks and the superintendents of highways in the counties where the work is to be done and also in the office of the highway commission. The work on which bids will be received at this time, the types of construction and the estimated cost of the work are as follows:

Pearce county, section E, concrete, 3,700 feet, cost \$9,333.89.
Bureau county, section G, concrete, 4,500 feet, cost \$8,663.32.
Bureau county, section I, concrete, 4,500 feet, cost \$8,614.10.
Bureau county, section J, concrete, 4,420 feet, cost \$9,021.68.
Bureau county, section K, concrete, 4,200 feet, cost \$7,832.72.
Case county, section V, brick, 1,540 feet, cost \$1,114.
Case county, section G, bitum-acadam, 3,600 feet, cost \$6,715.
Case county, section H, concrete, 1,000 feet, cost \$1,114.
Ford county, section C, concrete, 4,300 feet, cost \$9,311.
Champaign county, section E, brick, 4,950 feet, cost \$12,982.42.
Champaign county, section J, brick, 4,950 feet, cost \$12,447.62.
Hancock county, section E, earth, 10,000 feet, cost \$1,674.
Hancock county, section F, earth, 10,300 feet, cost \$1,706.
Hancock county, section G, earth, 13,478.7 feet, cost \$4,486.
Hancock county, section H, earth, 10,266 feet, cost \$4,986.
Jo Daviess county, section E, concrete, 2,477 feet, cost \$4,430.
Jo Daviess county, section F, concrete, 2,290 feet, cost \$4,261.
McHenry county, section I, gravel, 10,500 feet, cost \$12,920.
McHenry county, section J, gravel, 11,000 feet, cost \$12,920.
McLean county, section A, earth, 67,328 feet, cost \$31,128.
McLean county, section B, earth, 14,500 feet, cost \$4,968.
McLean county, section C, earth, 133,000 feet, cost \$33,717.
Marion county, section E, earth, 13,239 feet, cost \$5,728.
Marion county, section F, earth, 3,600 feet, cost \$5,192.
Menard county, section D, concrete, 2,400 feet, cost \$4,828.
Monroe county, section B, concrete, 4,100, cost \$1,010.60.
Moultrie county, section C, concrete, 4,700 feet, cost \$8,724.
Moultrie county, section D, concrete, 2,800 feet, cost \$1,621.
St. Clair county, section E, water-bound, macadam, 18,146 feet, cost \$20,574.
Washington county, section B, earth, 22,750 feet, cost \$1,811.52.
Winnebago county, section D, water-bound macadam, 300 feet, cost \$2,638.

Winnebago county, section E, concrete, 9,185 feet, cost \$23,260.
DuPage county, section D, concrete and water bound macadam, 4,300 feet, cost \$18,781.

WITH SICK PEOPLE

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SERVICE TO BE DISCONTINUED

Ames, Ia., March 16.—Both Marion and Mt. Pleasant won their games in the elimination preliminaries today of the high school district basketball tournament being held here for the state championship. Eight teams are competing, teams from Nassau and Council Bluffs were the losers in the first day's contests.

SOCIAL EVENTS

The Kresge Club Meets

The Kresge Club held the regular meeting Thursday evening in their club room. Six o'clock dinner was furnished by the manager, E. A. Hearn, and afterwards the club enjoyed very interesting talk given by Mr. Hearn concerning better efficiency and shersmanship. The members then spent the remainder of the evening playing games and enjoying music.

Mrs. Herald Entertained

Mrs. E. D. Herald entertained the South Diamond club at her home, 1001 Edgewood Road Friday afternoon. There was a large attendance of members and the afternoon was pleasantly spent with music and games. During the social hour that followed the hostess served dainty refreshments. The decorations and refreshments were in keeping with St. Patrick's day.

Gave Dinner in
Honor of Birthday

Friday was the 68th birthday of Mrs. George Coultais of Murrayville. In honor of the occasion she was pleasantly surprised by her two daughters Mrs. Nora Spencer and Miss Lulu Coultais. The daughters prepared an elaborate 6 o'clock dinner to which a number of Mrs. Coultais' friends and neighbors were invited. The occasion was a pleasant one the time being passed with games and music. Mrs. Coultais received a number of birthday remembrances. The guests were Mrs. Charles Blakeman, Mrs. James Berry, Miss Hanna Atkinson, Mrs. H. Osborne, Mrs. Bert Miller, Mrs. S. B. Robinson, Mrs. J. H. Fuller, Mrs. Nels Spencer, daughter Hilda and son Harmon.

Home Missionary Society
of Centenary Church

The woman's Home Missionary society of Centenary church met with Mrs. Charles Glossop of South East street Friday afternoon. There was a large attendance and an excellent program was carried out. Devotions were given by Mrs. Ferguson. Mrs. F. A. McCarty talked on Redención of the Southwest. The regular study book of the society for the year's work. A lecture will be given at Centenary church Sunday evening on the work of the Home Missionary society in America. During the social hour that followed the hostess served refreshments. The next meeting will be held with Mrs. T. H. Rapp.

Gave St. Patrick's Party

Miss Gertrude Atkins and Mrs. Claude Vail entertained the members of their Sunday school classes of Centenary church in the church parlor Friday evening. The evening was spent in playing St. Patrick games and prizes were won by Miss Marcelene Cowgur and Miss Gertrude Wetzel. The rooms were decorated in green and this idea was followed out in the refreshments that was served during the evening.

Mrs. Tillie Smith

Hostess to Maccabees

Mrs. Tillie Smith entertained the Woman's Benefit society of the Maccabees Friday afternoon at her home, 829 North Main street. The event was a St. Patrick's social and the green and white of decorations and refreshments gave pleasing suggestion of the day. Music was an entertainment feature. In the games, prizes were won by Mrs. Mollie McGinnis and Mrs. Alma Oliver. The afternoon hours were spent in delightful social manner by each of the twenty-four guests.

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MANY CITIES PLANNING
FOR BETTERMENTSComing State Centennial Exercises
Having Good Effect In Various
Parts of Illinois.

Springfield, March 16.—Various Illinois cities in widely separated parts of the state are actively planning civic improvements many of which their supporters hope will be completed before the celebration next year of the hundredth anniversary of Illinois' admission to the union.

Chicago is wrestling with park and highway improvement plans and the development of its metropolitan system along with other metropolitan activities. New railroad terminals and installation of modern river bridges are under way or planned.

Betterment of recreation facilities as well as increased commercial and business advantages, takes a prominent place in virtually all of the city improvement plans which in one form or another are before the communities and in nearly every instance the municipal authorities are being reinforced by volunteer organizations and different clubs and groups of citizens.

In the different plans historic associations are not forgotten. Springfield, the state capital, home of Lincoln and scene of notable incidents in the annals of Illinois comes forward with a project to repave the streets, replace the present lighting system with a more adequate system, spruce up its parks and playgrounds generally prepare for the ceremonies marking the completion of the century.

Other Cities Have Plans.

Road improvement and city beautifying is also the aim of Galena at the northwest corner of the state, the old home of General U. S. Grant Alton on the Mississippi, home of William Lovejoy, abolitionist and martyr, has its hands full with an elaborate improvement plan which includes enlargement of river terminals; the establishment of a river park; supervision of housing conditions, enlargement of of manufacturing district; regrading of streets and improvement of parkways and roads in residence districts.

Citizens of Elgin, in the Fox river valley, have organized a city beautifying movement with a program which includes river front improvement, establishment of a civic center after the general

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BURLINGTON WAY BOOSTERS ENTHUSIASTIC

Spirited Rivalry Shown Over Route for St. Louis — Cairo Division — Another Meeting Will Be Held To Decide Question.

A meeting of the Burlington Way Good Roads association was held at Carbondale Thursday with Carl H. Weber of this city, president of the association, as one of the officers in attendance. It was one of the most enthusiastic booster meetings ever held under association auspices.

The purpose was to select a route for the extension of the trail south from St. Louis to Cairo. There seemed to be a general agreement as to the best route south but a considerable rivalry was apparent as to the route north. There are two proposed routes in this direction, one of them by way of Ava, Sparta and Murphysboro, and the second thru Coalville, Pickenville and DuQuoin.

That there was interest in this question is indicated by the fact that there were special excursions of rival boosters and fourteen coaches were required to carry those particularly interested in the route thru Murphysboro.

Boosters in Rival Parades.

Almost as many came in on the M. & O. railroad from DuQuoin and other cities on the second route proposed. The delegates had banners and bands and there were rival parades. Altogether the meeting was one which surprised Carbondale people as they had not anticipated such attendance or such enthusiasm. When the meeting was held at the court house in the afternoon it was found that not one-fourth of the

persons who wished to attend could gain admittance.

Another Meeting Planned.

J. D. Dill, president of the Carbondale chamber of commerce, presided and addresses were made by President Weber and H. C. Wilhite of Greenfield, chief of the promotion department. As a result of the meeting two organizations were formed for the St. Louis-Cairo division, each organization putting up the required guarantee and attending to all necessary details. The choice was not made between the two but on April 5 and 6 a trip of inspection will be made by the Burlington Way officers. A mass meeting will be held in Carbondale on the evening of the 5th and the following evening after a thorough inspection has been made of both routes the Burlington Way officers will make known their finding.

Leave your measure for that Easter suit now and have it ready to put on Easter Sunday. T. M. TOMLINSON.

WILL PREACH AT PISGAH.

Rev. P. G. Shaw of Dows, Iowa, will preach at Pisgah Presbyterian church Sunday morning and evening. For nearly a year past the church has been in search of a pastor and it is understood that Rev. Mr. Shaw, who has made a good record in Iowa, is candidate.

On the Sunday following Rev. W. E. Spoons, who was appointed moderator for the church by the presbytery, will preach and at 3 o'clock the annual church meeting will be held, when reports will be made for the past year, officers elected and other business given attention.

SATURDAY'S SPECIALS.

Cauliflower, tomatoes, celery, cabbage, parsnips, cucumbers, cranberries, head and leaf lettuce, Florida oranges, green onions.

VANNIERS.

MRS. LOGAN FAVORS CAPT. SWALES APPOINTMENT.

Mention has previously been made of the fact that Capt. J. M. Swales is seeking the post of custodian of memorial hall at Springfield which he has previously filled so acceptably. In a recent letter Mrs. John A. Logan expresses hope that Capt. Swales will be successful in securing this post. The letter reads as follows:

"Eagle Lodge," 2523 Thirteenth St., Washington, D. C.

Capt. J. M. Swales,
Chicago, Ill.

My dear Capt. Swales:
I am just in receipt of your letter and assure you that I appreciate it with all my heart and do hope that some good fortune may come to you and that you may be gratified in your ambitions. As I wrote you, I am under many obligations to Governor Lowden and I hesitate to ask him anything. I can assure you that you are the only person for whom I have solicited consideration.

With all good wishes and trusting that you may have good fortune in the future, I am,

Cordially,
Mrs. John A. Logan.

Watch Sunday paper for Menu of Bismarck Cafe.

BEATTY NOMINATED IN WAVERLY PRIMARY.

Tuesday's primary election in Waverly resulted in the nomination of Frank Beatty over Vernon Keplinger for the office of city treasurer by a majority of 62. Murray Hudson, who was not a candidate, received four votes for attorney and nineteen for treasurer. A number of citizens received nominations which they had not sought, and they must now either make the race or have the nominations removed by affidavit.

The votes for the Republican candidates were as follows: Turnbull for mayor, 168; Wemple, attorney, 141; Tulpin, magistrate, 78; Calhoun, clerk, 181; Allyn, alderman, second ward, 22. The Democratic candidate received the following votes: Deatherage, mayor, 97; Shurtliff, alderman, second ward, 39; Mader, alderman, third ward, 22.

The only contest was that of Frank Beatty and Vernon Keplinger for city treasurer, the interest being such that a vote of fair size was recorded.

Tri-angular debate — Jacksonville high school vs. Quincy high school. High school auditorium tonight, 8 o'clock. Admission 25 cents.

FUNERAL NOTICE.

The funeral of Miss Katie Becker will be held at Areenville Presbyterian church Sunday afternoon at 1:30 o'clock, in charge of the Rev. W. P. Bowman. Rebekahs from this city will have charge of the burial service.

TWO WILLS FILED

FOR PROBATE TODAY

Charles Nickel of Concord Precinct and Miss Hannah Hopper of this City Provide for Distribution of Property.

The will of the late Charles Nickel of Concord precinct has been filed in the office of County Clerk Boruff. This will was drawn Aug. 19, 1909, with John Theivagt and Fred Engelbach as the witnesses. The testator provided for the payment of all debts and bequeathed his household goods to his daughter, Mrs. Mary Robison. It is directed that all other personal property is to be divided in equal parts among the three sons and the daughter, Frank, John and Edward Nickel and Mrs. Mary Robison.

As a part of this personal property will be the payments charged in subsequent paragraphs of the will to legatees for lands bequeathed to them. The farm of 120 acres is bequeathed to Mrs. Mary Robison and it is directed that she should pay \$9,900 to the estate on this account. A tract of 0.40 acres is given to Edward Nickel with a charge of \$6,000 to be paid to the estate \$15,400 and to Edward Nickel was given a tract of 78 acres and a charge of \$6,000 is made. Frank C. and John H. Nickel are named as executors of the will.

Miss Hopper's Will.

The will of the late Miss Hannah Hopper which was drawn May 4, 1909, and witnessed by Mrs. Emma DeKamp and the late George L. Merrill, was filed Friday in the office of the county clerk. The testatrix provided that the net income from all property should be paid to her brother, Richard Hopper, during his life time. At his death \$500 is to be paid to Nellie Scott Hopper, daughter of James P. Hopper, if she is living at that time and unmarried.

If this payment is made the remainder of the estate is to be divided into eight parts as follows: one part to Elsoma Kitner and Ira D. Kitner, children of Elizabeth Kitner; one part to the children of John Hopper; one part to the children of Mrs. Jane Hunter; one part to the children of Hassell Hopper; one part to Mrs. May John, daughter of George Hopper, deceased; one part to the heirs of Thomas Hopper; one part to Charles Hopper; one part to Philip Hopper. In event that the bequest of \$500 is not paid to Nellie Scott Hopper, then this sum shall become a part of the estate, which will then be divided into nine parts and one part paid to James P. Hopper or his heirs. The will directs that Charles Hopper shall be the executor of the will.

The thin person should eat a little in excess of what is required for the daily needs of the body, regardless of the appetite. Milk is rich in fat and can be served in a great many different forms. Beverages made from fruit juices and with a large amount of sugar added can also be used. The thin person can adopt to advantage the custom of eating a mid-morning and mid-afternoon luncheon, in addition to the three regular daily meals.

Excess of Protein Bad.

The problem of how much protein is required is complicated by the fact that the protein is used for fuel and for building up the bodily tissues broken down by exercise. An excess of protein is undesirable, especially that furnished by meat. This protein seems to have a peculiar faculty of stimulating the heat producing function, and it is for this reason that the tendency in summer is to eat less meat. An excess of meat protein also has a tendency to increase uric acid in the system, which it is believed leads to rheumatism, gout and kindred ailments. Then there is the added fact that the protein element when supplied by meat is more expensive than when other protein yielding foods are used, such as milk, eggs and certain vegetables. A smaller amount of meat, if judiciously combined with other foods, may be used without throwing an excessive strain on the system as is the case when an excess of meat is used.

Easy to Combine Foods.

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PROMINENT EDUCATIONAL WORKER.

Dr. R. M. Cooper, secretary of the Association of American Colleges and executive secretary of the council of church boards, is a guest of Dr. Parker at the Woman's college. The gentleman appeared yesterday before the teachers' association of Menard county and came on here in the evening. The organization he represents is one of great importance embracing all but the state endowed institutions. The meetings are held in Chicago early in January of each year and highly important subjects are discussed.

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FOOD REQUIRED DEPENDS ON DAILY OCCUPATION

Is Point Brought Out by Miss Walker at Friday's Lecture—"Food of Young Child" Next Week's Theme.

The lecture given Friday afternoon by Miss Isabel Walker, director of the department of home economics at Illinois Woman's college, was one which contained much of interest and value. In this series of talks given at the college various phases of the food question are being discussed. Miss Walker announced yesterday that her theme for next Friday afternoon will be "The Food of the Young Child." In the course of her remarks yesterday Miss Walker emphasized the point that the food supply required depends to a great extent upon the occupation of the individual, the needs of the person of sedentary habits not being as great as those of one whose daily life is an active one. The speaker said that there is special need for a plentiful supply of nourishing food during the period of infancy and adolescence, which covers the first twenty-five years of the individual's life, as during this time the physical growth and development is being completed. "The individual in a normal state of health stores a certain amount of fat for the use of the body, which, as I said in a previous lecture, is a machine, tho a much more wonderful machine than any which has ever been invented. The body requires food of the proper quantity and quality to produce the necessary amount of energy to enable it to work smoothly and to build up the tissues which are constantly wearing out and being replaced.

Follow of Reducing Methods.

"The abnormal person must also be considered. If more fuel producing food is eaten than is needed the tendency is to store it away for future needs. If too little fuel producing food is taken the body is undernourished, and if too large an amount is consumed the excess is stored in the form of fat." In this connection the speaker pointed out the fallacy of many methods employed in reducing flesh, in some cases the number of meals being curtailed but a large amount of fatty foods taken instead of those which furnish bulk.

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Ry-Krisp, the health bread.

Douglas.

THE HOUR IS TO BE 10:30 A. M.

The address of the fire marshal to be given in the grand opera house next Tuesday before the students of Brown's Business college, the pupils of the high school and the advanced pupils of the German Lutheran school is to be at 10:30 a. m. instead of 1:30 p. m. as announced.

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PHI ALPHA WINNER OF JOINT DEBATE

Sigma Pi Society Loses Annual Illinois College Contest by 2 to 1 Decision

Phi Alpha society won the annual joint debate at Illinois college Friday night, Sigma Pi society losing by a 2 to 1 decision. Phi Alpha had the affirmative and Sigma Pi the negative side of the question, "Resolved, that the United States should intervene in Mexico to establish a stable form of government." The Phi Alpha debaters in the order of their appearance were John Martin, Paul Watkins and Robert Nesmith. The Sigma Pi men were William Berryman, Robert Capps and Clay Apple, Henry Caldwell, of Sigma Pi, and Elmer Gaylord, Phi Alpha, were the alternates. In the rebuttal the speakers appeared in the same order.

The speeches were delivered with clearness and force and the whole debate showed that the students had entered into the work of preparation with industry and zeal. But little capital was made of political doings, and the affairs of recent days, such as the discovery of organized German influence, were mentioned only in an incidental way. President C. H. Rammekamp was in the chair, called the names of the debaters and announced the judges' decision. The judges were J. O. Priest, Judge M. T. Layman and J. S. Findley, secretary of the Y. M. C. A.

After the debate the societies met for banquets of triumph and consolation. Sigma Pi assembled at the Peacock Inn. The Phi Alpha feast was held in the society hall.

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